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SONET/SDH AND ETHERNET MIXED BIDIRECTIONAL  
APPLICATIONS

Commissioner for Patents  
POB 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

### **Amendment B**

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the office action of October 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.